## **Enemy Admits** His Artillery Is Tiring Out

Ludendorff Orders Economy in Use of Heavy Guns and Munitions

Infantry Expected To Do More Work

Rear Divisions Not To Be Drawn Upon for Aid, Commander Says

ed by General Ludendorff, at an Entente military suffered by the Ger

last two months have s that two months have s that they have lost a umber of cannon, not seing captured, but also The work of the artiltoo great a tax on its profer to cover the successfully infants.

and light woolen suitings.

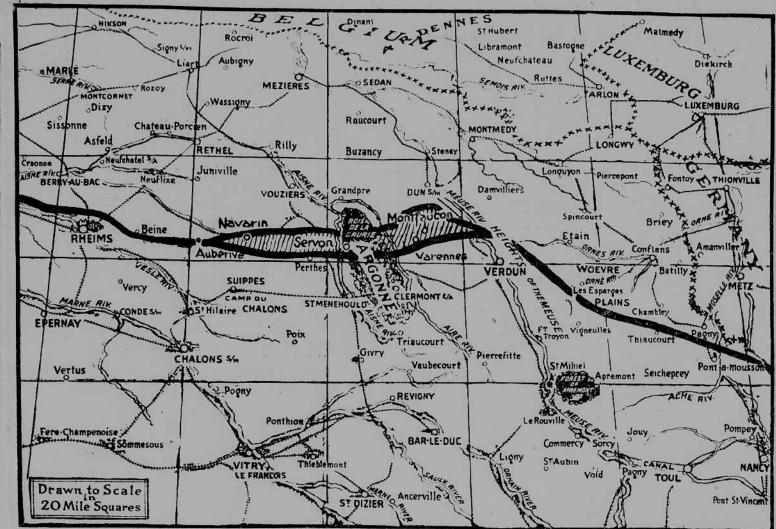
situation above referred to.

Exposition of Chemical Industries, are:

garded as fully established in America.

of New York, and their associates.

### THE NEW FRANCO-AMERICAN DRIVE



In their new offensive between Auberive, east of Rheims, and Verdun the French west of the Argonne Forest and the Americans to the occupied the shaded area in an advance. The French advanced more than four miles and the Americans gained an average of seven miles.

artillery fire, and with this end in view we should engage not only the organic artillery of the divisions in line, but manner that it should be in possession of all resources for the future. Thereand even those elements that are being tore if reinfercement of the artillery went for the reserve artillery of the

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Last spring, at the Textile Show, we invited an examination of what we

had accomplished in the production of coal-tar intermediates and colors.

This was done by exhibiting the applied American products in comparison with their German prototypes. Color for color we demonstrated, by dyeings

exposed to sunlight and weather, that what we were producing was equal

to its German equivalent. It was thus possible to announce that the supply of

American Colors versus German Colors

was an accomplished fact. It was explained frankly, however, that there

were a number of missing links; and on platform and in print we have

cautioned the consumer of dyes and the user of textiles that certain shades

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sun. Notably we emphasized the absence of the fast blue which enters

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thus the manufacture of dyes in all its complexity, with a stability based

upon American research and built upon American capital, may be re-

industry during its initial stages, that it shall not fall into the hands of

the Germans at the close of the war, the control of the Company has been

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The introduction of these types, together with Indigo and Alizarine

Having thus acknowledged our earlier limitations, we are all the more

These new types, dyeings of which are displayed at the National

sted against this situation line of the day, asted against this situation line of the day, asted against this situation line of the day of the reserve army has to be granted in considers that the to defend itself alone to guns and without the forcements. Finally he unitions be economized est care. It is gare the principal pasted of the machine guns. The continuing its usual that the resources of the machine guns. The continuing its usual that of the reserve army would result of which has suffered considerably, be-

Ink up Laon and Metz.

This is the long anticipated Allied effensive east of Rheims. It is beging made over the sparsely settled, open, clayey country of "Dry" or "Busty" Champagne, through the Argonne Forest and up the west side

This is the long anticipated Allied miles west of Prilep. From there it must either push north into the mountain wastes of Southern Serbia or flee west into Albania.

On the other side of the Vardar the Dulgarians are being rapidly could obtain favorable conditions from the Entente powers. a logical development of Foch's

American troops attacked on a forty-

more, except for the costly and almost instantaneously shattered Lu-Verdun. It is just three years and troops left there will have to be early date to Berlin. a day since Joffre began his brief drawn north to defend Sofia.

Meuse. He never got as far as the his capital. reilroad, prudently breaking off a Bulgaria has suffered a stunning

Now Foch has larger results in view percy's astonishing victory. -results affecting the whole German position in France. If he can push up over the barrens of "Dusty" Champagne he will again dislocate the boasted German "iron wall." By driving a few miles north from Suippes to Somme-Py he will cut the first lateral railroad, which was Joffre's objective. Continuing on to Vouziers, he will cut another lateral rail system. And if he should continue down the Aisne Valley from Vouziers to Rethel he would not only break all direct east-andwest connections between Laon and the Meuse, but would establish his armies on the flank of the present German positions along the Aisne, thus creating a vulnerable German salient, with the great Laon bastion near its apex.

The French night communique reported satisfactory progress yesterday. The French advanced four miles at some points. The American forces on the right wing advanced seven miles on a twenty-mile front and took 5,000 prisoners. Berlin put out a dubious bulletin, merely claiming that the German lines had not been broken through. Apparently the operation has had a most auspi-

The situation of the Bulgarian armies in Macedonia is becoming more and more precarious. The French and Serbian forces have taken Veles (Koprulu). At Izvor, ten miles south of Veles on the Veles-Prilep road, they have cut off the retreat of the Bulgarian First Army toward the Vardar. This army seems to be breaking into fragments. The part which tried to retreat through Prilep to Veles will now have to make a difficult detour westward through the mountains,

(Copyright, 1918, New York Tribune Inc.) FEW more panels of Chancel- Veles the Allies are only twenty-five lor von Hertling's "iron wall miles southeast of Uskub and have Sultan Reported of the Western front" were an easy approach to it up the line of shaken loose yesterday. French and the Salonica-Uskub railway.

Military Comment

By William L. McPherson .

mile front between Suippes and Ver-kolding the front west of Monastir has retreated toward Krushevo, ten

ariven east and north. The Serbians Sanders, Beaten, railes east of Veles. The Bulgarian The British have crossed the Bul- German Commander of Turks ley, and can offer no resistance to an Sanders, into Middle Serbia. When the Allies areth shortly before the attacking Britgendorff offensive on July 15 and 16 teach Uskub Southwestern Bulgaria will cease to be an important field of stantinople von Falkenhayn was defeated at operations. Most of the Bulgarian

1915, fought on the same ground miles long, runs east to Kumanova. French and American forces ad- ail, the terminus of a branch railroad coming down southwest from Joffre in 1915 tried to cut the lat- Sofia. Kustendil is only eighty miles eral railroad which runs east and from Uskub. Sofia is about forty west behind the German front in the miles further. And Ferdinand must sector between Rheims and the hastily create new armies to protect

battle which proved unduly expen- political disaster. And political difsive to him, but which in its initial ficulties will soon aggravate her milstage yielded 40,000 German prison- itary difficulties. As an aggressive Joffre at that time was "nibbling." tically snuffed out by General d'Esfactor in the war she has been prac-



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## Sofia Under Martial Law; **BerlinAnxious**

Bulgarian Cabinet in Continuous Session as Pacifists Start Demonstrations

King Appeals to Mackensen for Aid

Ministerial Crisis, With Complete Change in Foreign Policy Impending

PARIS, Sept. 26.-In well informed circles there are reports that a new ministerial crisis and a complete change in Bulgaria's foreign policy are

Martial law has been proclaimed in Sofia, according to reliable news printed in the German press, says the "Journal," of Zurich. It is said that the Bulgarian Cabinet is in continuous session, and King Ferdinand had a long consultation with Premier Malinoff yesterday. Pacifist manifestations were seld at Sofia on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, it is reported.

King 'Ferdinand of Bulgaria has isked Field Marshal von Mackensen, who is now in Bucharest, to take the command of his armies, so as to block he advance of the Allies in Old Serbia and preserve Bulgaria from invasion, according to information received here

The German government, according to advices to the Havas Agency from demonstrations in Bulgaria, and the German Minister has conferred with King Ferdinand. In some Bulgarian political circles it is believed that Crown Prince Boris will become Re-

## Willing to Make Separate Peace

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Sept. 26,-Public irritation in Constantinople

Fleeing to Berlin

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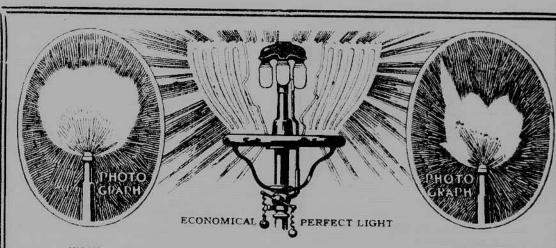
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